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TEN CENTS A WEEK

SAW RANKIN KILLED AND FLED WEEPING

Night Rider Tells of Pleading For Life of Man Who Was Cruelly Murdered.

UNION CITY, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Nervously rubbing his hands, Ed Marshall, on trial for complicity in the murder of Capt. Quentin Rankin by night riders, testified this afternoon in his own behalf. The largest crowd that has attended any night rider trials breathlessly listened to every word uttered by Marshall. Subjected to a rigid cross-examination, the witness several times became confused and gave answers apparently conflicting with other parts of his testimony.

He said he first saw the night riders last summer when they came to his house and gave him some orders. Later he was told that unless he joined them he and his wife and baby would be killed and his property burned. He went with Fred Pinton, recently sentenced to hang, to the rendezvous and took the oath.

He met with them a number of times, but staunchly denied participating in any crime. He knew few members of the band, and could not be positive who the leader was. He had been told that the leader was Fehring.

Plead for Victims' Lives.

At Walnut Log, becoming convinced that Col. Taylor and Capt. Rankin

were to be killed, he said, he pleaded with the leader to save their lives. Failing in this, he mounted his horse and rode away before the firing began. "I was sobbing," he said, "and if Col. Taylor knew what I did for him, he would embrace me now."

It is expected that the argument will be begun on Wednesday.

Official Post a Witness.

Warren Morris, who, by his confession was the "official post" of the night riders, was the first witness yesterday. He had not seen the defendant at any meetings of the band, but had heard Marshall was a member. When Capt. Rankin was killed, the witnesses heard one of the night riders interceding for Rankin, but did not know who it was.

"Mose" Barkis, an Asyrian, probably the only member of his race who has taken the night rider oath, was the second witness. Barkis is now living in Hickman, Ky., where he is engaged in the mercantile business.

In broken English he told the jury how he, for fear that his property would be destroyed, had joined the outlaws, and of the two meetings he attended. He knew nothing of Ed Marshall's connection with them.

TWO MEN SLAIN BY OWENS ON TUESDAY

MAN IS NOW BEHIND BARS IN COUNTY JAIL.

Killed His Men and Remarked That He Wanted Another—Young Wife at Bottom.

Another double murder is reported from the western part of the county. This time the affair took place at Jonesville, between here and Newberry, at about 8 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The dead men are R. L. Smith and Joe Musslewhite, both white, who were hard-working farmers residing in the Jonesville section, near the business center of that community, and the deed seems to have been the cause of a jealous husband who is not overburdened with the usual amount of good common sense.

R. H. Owens, the white man who did the killing, is originally from the Alachua section, and it will be remembered that he figured very conspicuously in the courts while he was there, and several times came very near killing some people, but fortunately only injured one man—all on account of this same woman.

Owens had contracted to farm with Smith, and was living on one of the man's places. For some reason he imagined that Smith was too intimate with his wife and desired to kill him. After he had succeeded in shooting Smith, Musslewhite, who was employed by Smith, ran for a gun to prevent Owens from making his escape, when Owens followed him, shooting him down near the store of Jesse Griffin shortly after he had secured a gun and was returning to meet Owens, the bullets taking effect about the heart.

Smith was shot in the stomach and fell immediately, and nothing was found on him to indicate that he had anticipated any trouble from Owens, as he was in his field at work when approached by the man with the gun.

Owens made no effort to escape, but stayed around until Deputy Sheriff Winn arrived from Newberry, which was well along in the afternoon, to take charge of him and bring him to this city. Owens was heard to remark that there was one more he wanted to get before he left the place.

Shortly after the arrival of Owens in this city he was seen in his cell at the county jail last night, and readily consented to talk to the reporter about the occurrence.

Owens, who was readily recognized as the party from Alachua, was seen and made a statement to the effect that Smith had insulted his wife and had at the same time hit her with his hand, and at this he took up his gun and shot him down, afterwards following up Musslewhite and giving him a load of buckshot just before he (Musslewhite) could get a crack at him. He said he had been residing there since last November and was farming on shares with Smith.

Deputy Winn says that one of the buckshot intended for Musslewhite went into the barrel of the gun and was dug out of the shell where it was imbedded from the gun of Owens.

Sentiment in the Newberry section is strongly against Owens, and it was fortunate that he was hustled over to this city Tuesday and placed behind the bars, where he will remain until his preliminary hearing, which will probably be heard before Judge Mason.

Returned From South Carolina.

Mrs. Helen T. Chesnut and daughter, Miss Ellen, have returned from South Carolina, where they have been visiting relatives since last fall. They were accompanied by Master John Chesnut, Jr., who has been spending the time with them, and all are now staying with John Chesnut at his real

HOW TO LEARN TO BE SOLDIER BY MAIL

Non-Commissioned Regulars May Join the State Troops is Decision of Militia Board.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—As the representative of the War Department, Assistant Secretary Oliver has acted upon a number of recommendations made by the national militia board designed to increase the efficiency of the organized militia. The recommendation for detail of non-commissioned officers of the army for duty with the organized militia was approved, conditioned upon the settlement of the question of the right to pay the expense for quarters, heat, light, medical attendance and traveling expenses out of the militia.

Approval was given to the recommendations for a second series of inspections with the view to reporting on the organization armament and discipline (instruction) of the organized militia; for a system of correspondence schools for the militia; and the issue of horses for militia field artillery to be charged against Federal appropriations.

Mr. Oliver disapproved recommendations for the allowance of pay and traveling expenses of officers of the militia engaged in giving instruction in rifle practice or on continuous duty at rifle ranges, on the ground that such payments are not authorized by law.

The recommendation for the issue of white gloves as part of the clothing allowance was disapproved on the ground that white gloves do not constitute a part of the field service uniform.

Adoption of cap and collar insignia "to identify the wearer as a member of the first line of the national forces, etc.," was approved with the provision, however, that the time is not yet ripe for the adoption of such insignia. The recommendation for an allowance for ammunition cases, bandoliers and clips is still under consideration.

In its report the militia board said it regarded as of very great importance the question of the adoption of a definite military policy for the United States, with particular reference to a complete co-ordination of effort between the regular army and the organized militia and a combined organization of the two branches of the first line of defense. Gen. Oliver said that this matter is already under consideration by the general staff. The militia board expressed its approval of the bill pending in Congress providing for an addition to 612 officers to the regular army, and said that the organized militia will make every effort to secure its passage.

DEPUTY SHERIFF IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

FORT MEADE, Jan. 26.—Deputy Sheriff J. M. Brown, while making his rounds on Saturday night between 11 and 12, was waylaid by a negro, Joe Daniels, who had hid behind a large oak, and emptied the contents of a shotgun at Mr. Brown. Mr. Brown lies in a serious condition. The physicians extracted sixteen bullets from his right hand and wrist. The rest of the full load entered his thigh and side, which have so far not been removed. Daniels escaped, and although bloodhounds were immediately put on his track, he is still at large.

Large Acreage in Vegetables.

W. M. Daughtrey of Williston is among the visitors to the city. He formerly resided here and has a large number of acquaintances who are always glad to meet him. He states that the acreage of spring vegetable in the Williston section will be large this year and that a number of the truckers already have their spring stuff started.

As advertising finds the best market for everything else, why not for your personal services?

FATAL EXPLOSION IN PENN. COAL MINE

PITTSBURG, Jan. 26.—Two men are dead and twenty others are supposed to be dead as the result of three gas explosions in the Boswell mine of the United Coal Company, in Somerset county, last night and early today.

The men were members of an investigating party that had entered the mine to make an inspection of suspicious gas traces before allowing the miners to go to work. Until early today signals were heard from the imprisoned men, but at daylight however, the signals ceased, and it is believed that all men had come under the influence of the deadly after damp.

About 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon a small explosion occurred in the mine, and it was decided to make a thorough inspection of the underground workings and entries.

This was in charge of Superintendent Logan, and twenty-one men volunteered for the dangerous work. They entered the mine shortly after 5 o'clock, and while they were in the mine a second and third explosion occurred about 6 o'clock, tearing down great quantities of coal, slate and rock in the interior, completely preventing the men from reaching the outside.

TAMPA ITALIAN IS MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

TAMPA, Jan. 26.—Last night an Italian resident of Ybor City named Giovanni Straporalo was shot in the leg by some unknown person on Tenth avenue, near Twenty-first street, while he was on his way home.

Straporalo avers that he was going along the avenue toward his home when hearing a pistol shot and feeling a stinging sensation in his leg he realized that he was struck by a bullet, and started to run, but became so weak that he could not do so, and setting down called for help. A policeman came to his aid, but the officer could get no information out of the injured man, other than that he was struck by a bullet in the hands of some unknown party. The wound, while painful, is said not to be a dangerous one.

President D. B. McKay of the Bryan and Kern Club of this city is preparing to get that organization together one evening this week to make arrangements for the club to give a cordial greeting to the noted Nebraskan when he arrives here February 4.

Fully 200 Cubans left here on the

steamers Sunday and Sunday night for Havana to attend the inaugural ceremonies of President Gomez. Among them a number of the city's most prominent residents, whose native land is Cuba.

Tourists and residents of Tampa and vicinity are being treated to a season of the very finest weather. Every day is a balmy, sunshiny one, and this has been the case for several weeks past. The farmers, truck growers and grove owners of this section are, however, wishing for rain, their maturing products being much in need of more moisture.

First Car of Cabbage.

The first car of cabbage for this season left here Tuesday. The car was loaded by different growers and was consigned to New York. In a few days the shipments will be heavy, and growers expect good returns.

The warm weather has played havoc with lettuce, sufficient cold weather not having been experienced to cause it to head, and if cold weather does not come soon all of the crop will go to seed, as is already the case with many fields.

Isn't there something which only a want ad. can do for you today?

Hitchcock Kills First Deer After a Hard Fight

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 26.—To kill his first deer, a magnificent buck, within an hour's drive of one of the oldest cities in America, was the novel experience to which Frank H. Hitchcock, who is to be Postmaster-General in Mr. Taft's cabinet, was treated yesterday. Mr. Hitchcock came here yesterday and conferred with the President-elect at the latter's telegraphic invitation.

Yesterday morning he accompanied the party that went down the bay to see Mr. Taft off for Panama and upon returning to the city was taken by

hunt. The party left Charleston and before three hours had passed the hunting grounds had been reached, a handsome buck had been driven from the swamp by the dogs past Mr. Hitchcock's stand and he had brought it to the ground.

The deer was not killed instantly, and Mr. Hitchcock, rushing enthusiastically after it into a swamp, had his clothing badly torn in a hard fight with the buck, before killing it. As it was his first deer, he was following the etiquette of the chase, well "blooded" by his companions. Mr. Hitchcock

Congress Eulogizes Man Who Stuck to His Post

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—Pausing for a moment in its legislative activity, the House of Representatives yesterday listened to an eulogy of John R. Blinn, the Marconi operator aboard the trans-Atlantic liner "Republic" who remained at his post until the ship went down, following her collision Saturday with the "Florida." Mr. Boutell of Illinois was given unanimous consent to address the House "on a matter of public interest."

Throughout the whole critical period "there was one silent actor in the tragedy whose name should be immortalized." He specially mentioned Blinn by name and in conclusion said: "Blinn has given the world a splendid illustration of the heroism that dwells in many who are doing the quiet, unnoticed task of life. Is it not an inspiration for all of us to feel that there are heroes for every emergency and that in human life no danger is so great that some Jack

SPRING TERM U. S. COURT MEETS FEB. 1

IMPORTANT CASES TO BE TRIED AT THIS SESSION.

The Brooks Counterfeit Case Will Be Among Most Prominent of Session—Some Whiskey Cases.

The spring session of the United States court for the Northern district of Florida will convene in this city at 9 o'clock on the morning of Monday, February 1.

This will be the second session of the United States court convening in Gainesville since Alachua county has been transferred to the Northern district, and naturally a great deal of interest is centered in the session. This court will bring together people from all over this section who are interested, directly or indirectly, and a large number of visitors will no doubt be here. There are a number of important cases, among which is the case of the Brooks boys, who are charged with counterfeiting. It will be remembered that these men were arrested in Levy county several months ago, were placed in prison at Aronson, later made their escape and surrendered to the authorities of Alachua county early this month, laboring under the impression that their trial would occur within a few days.

Emmett Wilson of Pensacola is U. S. district attorney at the present time, but he will be succeeded by Hon. Fred Cumberly, who has been appointed to that position, but the confirmation of whom it is learned has not yet been made. In that event Col. Wilson will act in that professional capacity. Hon. W. B. Sheppard is judge of the Northern district. Fred W. Marsh is clerk, while A. M. Cushman of this city has recently been appointed deputy clerk.

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VINOL is sold in Gainesville by W. M. Johnson, Druggist.

ANOTHER HEAVY VOTE IN PIANO CONTEST

MISS GROFF RECEIVED BIG VOTE YESTERDAY.

Three Candidates Above the Three Hundred Thousand Mark—Close Vote Between Two Leaders.

Following is the standing of the contestants in the piano contest up to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon:

Miss Dorian Ellis, city.....	357,705
Miss Catherine Halle, city.....	356,515
Miss Beale Dupree, city.....	313,920
Miss Florrie Strickland.....	156,395
Miss M. Daughtrey, city.....	124,675
Miss Mary McCormick, city....	60,740
Miss Nannie Dickinson, city...	49,935
Miss Alma Fennell, city.....	39,905
Miss A. Groff, Newberry.....	37,910
Miss Julia Carter, city.....	35,350
Miss Jessie Evans, city.....	27,960
Miss Mabel Sanchez, city.....	21,095
Miss A. Strickland, Waldo.....	20,145
Miss Estelle Beal, city.....	13,130
Miss Emma Hudson, city.....	10,670
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs....	9,765
Miss Annie Beville.....	7,795
Miss Minnie Shawl, Alachua....	7,725
Miss K. Carlton, Micanopy....	4,975
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell....	4,905
Miss Goldie Lambert, city.....	4,110
Miss Elevena Staf, Waldo.....	3,570
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn....	2,150
Mrs. A. W. Sargent.....	2,135
Miss Mary Thigpin, city.....	1,635
Miss Ruby Albright.....	1,630
Miss M. Fernandez, city.....	1,600

Don't Take the Risk.

When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis, or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. From a small beginning the sale and use of this preparation has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. Its many remarkable cures of coughs and colds have won for it this wide reputation and extensive use. Sold by all druggists.

Orchestral Oversights.

The snare drummer happened to catch a selection that called for the use of half a dozen or more instruments. To make the shift from one to another he had to hustle in a fashion that nightly impressed persons sitting near. When he had finished the lively operation he was puffing and blowing and the perspiration was coming out in streams. A man just outside the orchestra rail leaned forward and, pointing to the score, remarked:

"That was good work, old man, but you missed one place."

"I did!" responded the drummer in surprise. "Why, I thought I played everything that came my way."

"No," the other resumed, "you didn't do everything, and I saw the leader glance at you. Right there, in the middle of that measure, is a place where it says you should have gone down cellar and shaken the furnace, and you didn't pay any attention to it."—Providence Journal.

Every Mother

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Work has again started upon the granolithic sidewalks, and from present indications there will be several miles more of this popular sidewalk put down within a few months.

Contracts have already been let for several hundred yards of this work in East Gainesville, from the residence of Mrs. Hutchinson south along this street to the hospital and all around that building.

W. A. McNally, who has the contract for this work, says that he is now figuring with parties who intend to put down sidewalks, and if he is successful in getting all this class of work that is being bid on he will be kept busy for the next several months.

Not only is this improvement in the sidewalks being made, but there is now more building and painting going on in the city than there has been for many months and it looks as if business was really looming up in all lines.

Truth Versus Politeness.

Ethel was going to take supper with a little friend.

"Now, dear," said her mother, "when you are leaving you must bid Marian's mamma good night and tell her you have had a very pleasant time."

When the little girl returned her mother asked if she had done as she told her.

"Not 'actly, mamma," was the reply. "Marian took the biggest piece of the apple and spilled lemonade on my new dress, so I couldn't say what you told me, but I told her mother good night and said I guessed Marian had had a very pleasant time."—Judge.

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New Baird Theatre.

Monday, Feb. 8—"Happy Hooligan in New York."

Wednesday, Feb. 10—"Alabama," by Theo Hudgins and Company.

Electric Theatre.

New Moving Pictures, each afternoon and night, except Sunday.

Electric Theatre.

Former Assistant Secretary of the U. S. Treasury in a recent speech said: "If I were today seeking how I could give the most pleasure and do the most good in any community, I would supply the town hall or the school with a completely equipped moving picture outfit, see that they were kept up-to-date and used once a week at least, as they give the greatest amount of entertainment, satisfying the cravings for natural and decent amusement and a source of betterment for the mental and moral development of the community. Pictures and music speak a universal language and are a means to combat the immoral cheap shows, and to lead young folks to knowledge and good citizenship by attractive paths."

The Electric Theatre gives two hours of the best moving pictures every night and many a moral lesson can be learned by watching these realistic views. No better place can be found to send the children and the grown persons will always be charmed with the evening's entertainment. The pictures last night were splendid.

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THREE WHITE MEN UP ON SERIOUS CHARGE

ALLEGED TO HAVE RAPED COLORED WOMAN AT TRENTON.

Woman Was With Party Who Were Passing Through the Town and Waiting at Station.

Lewis Martin, Tony Martin and George Powell, all young white men of Wilcox, were brought to the city Tuesday by Sheriff P. G. Ramsey on the serious charge of "rape."

The victim of the supposed affair is one Hattie Duval, who, in company with several other negroes, were on their way to Perry, in Taylor county, at the time the crime is alleged to have been committed, and the men in the crowd all became frightened and ran off when the white men are said to have taken charge of the woman and carried her across the street to a nearby room, said to be owned by one of the party.

The woman claims that she, together with the other parties, was on her way to Perry, and having to stop over at Trenton and wait for the train the agent kindly allowed the party to stay in the waiting-room of the depot, and that it was here that the boys came up and fired off their guns and made all the men folks make a hasty retreat, when they seized her and another woman, but her companion succeeded in getting away, and she was left the victim of the mob.

The case will be tried before Judge Mason here and several parties have been summoned as witnesses, both white and colored people.

The affair is alleged to have occurred on Sunday night, and it is claimed that all of the young men in the crowd were drunk at the time the alleged crime was committed.

Since the above item has been put in type County Judge Mason has released the young men on bonds, and much speculation has been indulged in as to whether the same was a bailable case.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit-forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by all druggists.

Successful Truck Grower.

T. L. Hodgson of Williston was a visitor to the city yesterday. He is one of the leading truckers of that section and always succeeds in making fine crops, but, like the average farmer, he does not always get the best prices. He was one of the first men in that section to install irrigation and has a large and complete outfit.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe.

Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted. Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. J. W. McCollum & Co.

New Phosphate Mines.

A. L. Reid, the genial postmaster of Newberry, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He says that there is strong probability of more phosphate mines opening up in that section within a short while, which will be located south of the place, near Half Moon.

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SENATOR TALIAFERRO WILL DO ALL HE CAN

TO RETAIN TARIFF ON FOREIGN LUMBER.

Florida Having Borne Burdens of Cuban Reciprocity Should Be Let Alone in Tariff Reduction.

Replying to a letter of B. F. Hampton, secretary of the Gainesville Board of Trade, Senator James P. Taliaferro writes from Washington as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Hampton: Your letter of December 19, inclosing resolutions of the Gainesville Board of Trade opposing the removal of the tariff on lumber, came duly to hand and would have been acknowledged sooner but for the holidays.

"Those who are contending for a reduction of the tariff on lumber argue that it would produce more revenue, conserve our forest resources and insure cheaper developing material. In view of the agitation for the preservation of our national resources and the demand for additional revenue to balance our increasing deficiencies, there would seem to be possible obstacles in the way of holding the lumber tariff as it now stands.

"For my own part I shall contend that, Florida having borne the burdens of Cuban reciprocity, should be let alone in the matter of tariff reduction, and that any system of revision shall embrace an equal distribution of tariff benefits or burdens. Besides, it would seem to be a discrimination to do away with the protection of an industry just about the time of the disappearance of the forests in the Northwest and North. Under any circumstances, your Board of Trade may be assured that I shall do what I can in behalf of all the industries of Florida."

Too Much Face.

You feel as if you had one face too many when you have neuralgia, don't you? Save the face—you may need it, but get rid of the neuralgia by applying Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing in the world for rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, cuts, scalds, lame back and all pains. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Newberry Section Needs Rain.

G. W. Livingston of Newberry was among the visitors here yesterday. He states that rain is badly needed throughout that section and the roads are dry and dusty, making travel in vehicles very disagreeable.

ALACHUA FARMERS ARE NOW HAPPY LOT

DEAL CLOSED ON ALL COTTON IN THAT SECTION.

Forty Thousand Dollars in Cash Distributed to Growers There by This Big Sale.

Alachua farmers are again happy, having disposed of all their hold-over cotton which has been a drag on the market for the past several months.

There has been \$40,000 in cash turned loose there within the past few days, and this section is especially happy, as it has had a tendency to open up trade and put some of the good hard cash in circulation.

This large deal enabled the farmers to pay their obligations and have some reserve left over, which will assist them to run for the coming season; besides, the merchants will now be enabled to meet their obligations, which makes things right all the way round.

The change has been remarkably noticeable in trade circles already, and business is better in that place than it has been for months, notwithstanding the fact that this is generally the dull season with them.

Many of the growers will not plant as heavily the coming season as they have in the past, and the growers hope to regulate the prices to some degree in this way.

A Religious Author's Statement.

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. J. W. McCollum & Co.

For City Marshal.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Marshal, to be voted for at the election on April 13, 1909. If elected I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office without fear or favor. I respectfully solicit the votes of all, irrespective of party affiliation.

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Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klote of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by all druggists.

His Phenomenal Luck.

"You say he is lucky?"
"You bet."
"In what does his luck consist?"
"Marriage, you see, is his hobby."
"Well?"
"Every woman he marries gets a divorce."

Wooden.

Tenement Tessie—And de novel says de heroine had a willowy form, used to pine for her lover and would spruce up when she seen him coming froo de gate. Shanty Sue—Gee, where did she work—in a sawmill?—Exchange.

There is no case on record of a cough, cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep-seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else? J. W. McCollum & Co.

As a Caution.

Weeks—The true American always saves the under dog in the fight. Wise—Yes, and then gives him a swift kick for being chump enough to get into it.—Boston Transcript.

In infants levity is a prettiness, in men grown a shameful defect, but in old age a monstrous folly.

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Stops Falling Hair Destroys Dandruff An Elegant Dressing Makes Hair Grow

Composed of Sulphur, Chlorine, Quinine, Sodium Chloride, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol.

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"Do you know of any woman who ever received any benefit from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?"

If any woman who is suffering with any ailment peculiar to her sex will ask her neighbors this question, she will be surprised at the result. There is hardly a community in this country where women cannot be found who have been restored to health by this famous old remedy, made exclusively from a simple formula of roots and herbs.

During the past 30 years we have published thousands of letters from these grateful women who have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and never in all that time have we published a testimonial without the writer's special permission. Never have we knowingly published a testimonial that was not truthful and genuine. Here is one just received a few days ago. If anyone doubts that this is a true and honest statement of a woman's experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound write and ask her.

Houston, Texas.—"When I first began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was a total wreck. I had been sick for three years with female troubles, chronic dyspepsia, and a liver trouble. I had tried several doctor's medicines, but nothing did me any good.

"For three years I lived on medicines and thought I would never get well, when I read an advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and was advised to try it.

"My husband got me one bottle of the Compound, and it did me so much good I continued its use. I am now a well woman and enjoy the best of health.

"I advise all women suffering from such troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. They won't regret it, for it will surely cure you."—Mrs. Bessie L. Hicks, 819 Cleveland St., Houston.

Any woman who is sick and suffering is foolish surely not to give such a medicine as this a trial. Why should it not do her as much good as it did Mrs. Hicks.

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BEFORE AN ACCIDENT OCCURS INSURE IN THE BEST COMPANIES

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NEWS FROM ALL
PARTS OF FLORIDA

Tampa contributed \$6,000 to the Italian earthquake fund.

The Elks of Orlando dedicated and formerly opened their new club house last Friday.

Tampa is to have a new stockade in which to "entertain" the city prisoners. It will cost about \$8,000.

The city council of Miami has been requested to pass an ordinance to prohibit the keeping of roosters within the city limits.

Arrangements have been made with the Mallory Steamship Company for passage for 2,500 men from New York for work on the Key West extension.

The DeFuniak Springs postoffice was robbed last Friday, the burglars getting away with \$700. The work is thought to be that of professionals.

Judge Peeples of Tampa recently fined a gambler \$100 and five days in jail. A bond of \$25 had already been forfeited by the man who did not expect a rearrest. Judge Peeples told him that that kind of business wouldn't work in court.

Key West is rejoicing in a daily mail service with the mainland via the East Coast railway. It is difficult to conceive of a business community without a daily mail service in these days, and the wonder is how Key West could get along without one so long.

The White Springs Herald editor thus describes Suwannee Shoals, situated three miles east of that city, which are destined to be an object of great interest, at least to the country within 150 miles thereof: "The shoals are possibly 400 yards long, with a fall of nearly thirty feet. The river bed is rock where the shoals are located, and the incline is so steep that the rapid flowing water has made several waterfalls, which make a roar that can be heard several hundred yards distant." He says the natural scenery in the locality is remarkable for its rare beauty. This is the spot where the Suwannee River Electric Railway and Power Company, capitalized for \$1,000,000, purposes to erect a dam and install machinery for the purpose of furnishing electric power to all cities and towns within a radius of 140 miles and for the purpose of running interurban trolley lines.—Times-Union.

Lame Shoulder.

This is a common form of muscular rheumatism. No internal treatment is needed. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely twice a day and a quick cure is certain. This liniment has proven especially valuable for muscular and chronic rheumatism, and is sure to give quick relief. Chamberlain's Liniment is also most excellent for sprains and bruises. Price, 25 cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Woman's Spur.

"The scent was excellent that frosty morning. She walked across the field, holding her riding skirt free of her patent leather boots and silver spurs." "Spurs?" shouted the editor. "What ails you, man?" "Spurs?" the puzzled author repeated. "Don't they wear spurs nowadays? I know they used to." "Women never wear spurs unless they ride astride. They wear one spur—one only. What good would a second be, except to tear the clothes?" "I see," said the other. "A natural error, wasn't it?" "Only a natural error for an ignoramus. But the usual writer of sporting stories is an ignoramus. I rarely read a sporting story but I come across some error quite as blatant as this of yours."—New Orleans Times-Democrat

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BEYOND WORDS

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CASE SEEMED HOPELESS
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"Words cannot describe the terrible eczema I suffered with. It broke out on my head and kept spreading until it covered my whole body. I was almost a solid mass of sores from head to foot. I looked more like a piece of raw beef than a human being. The pain and agony I endured seemed more than I could bear. Blood and pus oozed from the great sores on my scalp, from under my finger nails, and nearly all over my body. My ears were so crusted and swollen I was afraid they would break off. Every hair in my head fell out. I could not sit down, for my clothes would stick to the raw and bleeding flesh, making me cry out from the pain. My family doctor did all he could, but I got worse and worse. My condition was awful. I did not think I could live, and wanted death to come and end my frightful sufferings.

"In this condition my mother-in-law begged me to try the Cuticura Remedies. I said I would, but had no hope of recovery. But oh, what blessed relief I experienced after applying Cuticura Ointment. It cooled the bleeding and itching flesh and brought me the first real sleep I had had in weeks. It was as grateful as ice to a burning tongue. I would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment freely. I also took Cuticura Resolvent for the blood. In a short time the sores stopped running, the flesh began to heal, and I knew I was to get well again. Then the hair on my head began to grow, and in a short time I was completely cured. I cannot praise Cuticura enough. I wish I could tell everybody who has eczema to use Cuticura. My condition was so terrible that what cured me cannot fail to cure anybody of this awful disease. If any one doubts the truth of this letter, tell them to write to me. Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 135 Thomas St., Newark, N. J., Sept. 28, 1908."

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Home, Sweet Home.

The old man sat on the park seat, rivers of tears flooding his clothes. A sympathetic passerby, noting the high tide, stopped and asked if he were ill.

"Yes, sir," said the sorrowing old fellow. "I've just 'ad bad news from 'ome. The 'ouse that 'as sheltered me for years is to be torn down, and I 'aven't a penny to my name to stop it. Everybody will be turned out, and goodness knows what'll 'appen to 'em." "Poor soul!" said the sympathetic passerby, bestowing a penny on the sad old man. "That isn't much, but you are welcome to it. And where is this old home of yours, my friend?" "Up at the joll, sir," replied the old man. "It seems very hard. I've lived there five and twenty years."—London Opinion.

The Meanest Man in Town

Is the one who always wears a frown, is cross and disagreeable, and is short and sharp in his answers. Nine cases out of ten it's not the poor fellow's fault, it's his liver and digestion that make him feel so miserable—he can't help being disagreeable. Are you in danger of getting into that condition? Then start at once taking Ballard's Herbine for your liver—the safe, sure and reliable vegetable regulator. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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Wax Bead (proudly)—I am going in a necklace which I am assured cannot be told from real pearls. Brass Ring (sarcastically)—Aw, they're stringing you.—Baltimore American.

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The awake person reads the want ads. every day—and answers some almost as often.

A FATAL CARD.

How It Killed the Religious Department of the London Times.

When the Thunderer decided to devote one or more of its columns daily to an ecclesiastical department all England sat up and admired. The man chosen to conduct the column was a rather elderly and occasionally convivial younger son who for years had contributed church news to the paper, but had never dreamed that he should attain the extreme honor of actually becoming one of the editors of the Thunderer, that world shaking power. The promotion went to his head, made him dizzy. He saw himself a power in the land, one who perhaps would make or unmake ecclesiastical dignitaries.

On the morning of the announcement of the new venture the new incumbent came into town on his usual train from Surbiton, his head swimming with delight. At the foot of Ludgate hill he met an old friend, whom he forthwith led into the Green Dragon bar.

"Arthur," said he, "we really must celebrate. What d' you suppose has happened? Oh, you'd never, never dream it! Look! What d' you say to that, old boy?"

"That" was a newly engraved card on which appeared this announcement: MR. CECIL APPLEBY BOTSFORD-HETHERINGTON, Ecclesiastical Editor, The Thunderer.

"My word, old chap, it's the most delightful news I've heard in an age!" cried his friend. "Let's have just one more. Here's to you! Success!"

Before he reached Temple Bar the ecclesiastical editor had met five other friends. To the fifth he observed: "D' ye know, Ned, with that card I could call on the archbishop 'f Canterbury. Yes, he'd see me immediately. Won't 'f card this. Indicates position 'f extraordinary responsibility 'n dignity."

Halfway to the office of the Thunderer Mr. Botsford-Hetherington hailed a hansom.

"Have you," he inquired, with much gravity—"have you a fast and well appointed cab? Yes? Very well, then. You may drive me to Lambeth palace."

At the palace a footman took one of the new cards and conducted the owner of it to a pleasant reception room, where he snuggled in a vast chair and instantly went to sleep.

The archbishop of Canterbury happened to be very busy with his chaplain, but at the sight of the card he felt sure that something of importance was at hand and sent his chaplain to inquire. That tall, slender, dark, ascetic gentleman strode slowly to the reception room and after a slight but decorous struggle succeeded in waking the caller.

"His grace," said the chaplain, "begs to know how he can serve the Thunderer?"

"Tell his grace," responded Mr. Botsford-Hetherington, "that I'm awfully busy thinking and I'm sorry I shan't be able to see him till tomorrow. Very sorry."

Forthwith he relapsed into slumber. Two sturdy men deposited him in his fast and well appointed cab and ordered the driver to deliver him at the office of the Thunderer. There the ecclesiastical editor and the ecclesiastical department simultaneously vanished.—Harper's Weekly.

Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by all druggists.

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"Not now," said Hickenlooper. "He's been divorced."

"Divorced? What do you mean?" asked Wilber.

"He was bounced last Saturday," said Hickenlooper.—Lippincott's.

Just Sued Him.

"Miss Pansy, yo' suttinly has got well developed ahms, ef yo'll pahdon ma sayin' so."

"Ah developed dem ahms workin' ovah de washub, Mistah Rufus."

"Um—um—er—Miss Pansy, will yo' be ma wife?"—Denver Post.

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will be best promoted—best preserved—if you are ready to give the proper remedy at the proper time. The proper remedy for all strains, sprains, or colic is Perry Davis' Pain-killer. The proper time to use it is when the trouble first shows itself. Be prompt and you'll not only save the horse suffering, but you'll spare yourself trouble and expense—maybe save a long time waiting. You ought to have a bottle ready. The new size bottle costs 25 cents; one larger, 50 cents. Be sure your druggist gives you Perry Davis'.

Read the want ads. in today's Sun.

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Gainesville People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are so unmistakable that they leave no ground for doubt. Sick kidneys excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back aches constantly, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighed down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger of dropsy, Bright's Disease, or diabetes. Any one of these symptoms is warning enough to begin treating the kidneys at once. Delay often proves fatal.

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The Tampa Tribune has lost none of its lustre by becoming an everyday-in-the-week newspaper.

Bishop Morrison of the M. E. Church, South, is not only a fine preacher, but a gentleman of fine appearance.

Gainesville has received much valuable advertising through the decision of the Chase interests to establish a paper factory here.

Passing thoughts do not show a man what he is. But the direction his thoughts and feelings usually take give abundant evidence.

Whether or not the plan just carried out by several thousand young people in Cleveland, Ohio, and which is being imitated elsewhere, of "living for two weeks as Jesus would," has any permanent value depends upon the intention of those who follow it. If the attempt is for two weeks only and with the idea that the bars may be let down afterwards, it will spell failure. But if the idea is to make the trial an incentive and help to a permanent better life of conduct and service, lasting good may be expected.

Some radical innovators in the matrimonial line have suggested "trial marriages," and a few people have evidently adopted the plan. But reports say that the experiment is a failure, as well it might be. In spite of all the so-called improvements that are sprung upon society, the vast majority of people will cling to the old time-honored way. Remedies for all ills that may arise in matrimonial alliances must be looked for elsewhere than in trial marriages, which are repugnant to our sense of decency and of family life.

Life insurance statistics show that in the last twenty-five years the average duration of life has increased by two years. This is encouraging and due mainly to greater medical and surgical knowledge, improved sanitation, and general better conditions of life. If more people would stop burning the candle at both ends by fast living and injudicious habits the coming years would show an even greater increase. It is only too true, as the refrain of an old song says, that with many people, "It is not the miles we travel but the pace that kills." Certainly the pace of our modern American life is too rapid, and it is to that fact we have so many nervous wrecks and sudden deaths.

If a wealthy banker or trust magnate is convicted of embezzlement or other crime and is sentenced to prison, persistent efforts are sure to be made to have him pardoned after he has served but a few months, and for some reason or other the attempt usually succeeds. We fail to see why this should be. Why should a man who defrauds hundreds of his fellow-men, and who by his wrong-doing reduces families to poverty and perhaps causes some wretched victim to commit suicide, receive greater consideration than a poor man who is sentenced to a long term of imprisonment because, perhaps in his necessity, he stole something? If anything it should work the other way, for the higher the position and the responsibility the graver the offense when it is committed.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal says: "A juror who could neither read nor write, and who asked a policeman to tell him what it meant by forming and expressing an opinion, was accepted by the State in the trial of the Coopers and Sharpe. Will the legislators amend the jury laws or content themselves with State-wide and creating a few offices?"

The Norfolk Landmark thus quotes and comments: "We were grieved at the defeat of good Mr. Kern for the Indiana Senatorship, but we are still more grieved at the way he is 'beefing' about his defeat.—Charleston Post. Our disillusionment about Brother Kern came when we saw his admission that he accepted the Vice-Presidential nomination in order to get the Senatorial toga as a reward for making a hopeless fight."

The Galveston News says: "Senator Bailey's remarks in opposition to the proposed doubling of the President's salary were well placed. The idea that government is largely a matter of social exchange and prandial extravagance has become too common. Those officers of the government, including members of both houses of Congress, who cannot live upon the pay their offices afford should not seek public preferment nor retain it after they discover that they are not sufficiently recompensed."

The Springfield Republican says: "Gov. Hughes is very much strengthened in his effort to secure a direct primary law in New York State by the fact that the Governors of all States where such laws have been in operation indorse them heartily. Here and there a Governor has advised that amendments be made and, in many cases, amendments have been shown by experience to be desirable, but the impressive fact to contemplate is that nowhere do the people who have tried the direct primary system favor a return to former conditions."

The New York World says: "Among the Southern Senators are a number of men of signal ability, but a sectional minority, whatever its weight of character, is bound to convey the impression of sectional partnership. By the election of even so few as three Northern Senators the work of rehabilitating the Democratic party as a healthy and compact opposition both at the national capital and throughout the nation should receive a lasting impulse. A truly representative minority in the Senate, well led and acting in the name of nearly 6,400,000 Democratic voters, can exercise an influence on the course of national affairs and even partisan administration beyond its mere voting strength."

The Norfolk Landmark (Dem.) says: "The Democrats in the House of Representatives and in the Senate ought to introduce and press a joint resolution condemning the attempt of the Executive Department to revive the sedition laws by suing newspapers for libel. Quite an issue could be made of this, and a proper one. The suit represents an entirely new departure, and is not one of those matters with regard to which Congress can be justly charged with eleven-hour courage. If the Republican majority voted down the resolution it would seriously and wrongly commit itself; if it voted for the resolution, a needed rebuke would be administered in a striking manner. While we are saying this about the sedition business, we cannot help adding an expression of regret that the Democrats in the House did not join the majority in calling down Representative Willett of New York when he was abusing the privileges of the floor to insult the President in a lurid and vindictive harangue."

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OWNERS OF OUR RAILROADS.

There have recently been published in the press lists of shareholders of our leading railroads which throw a peculiar light on the methods of high finance. These lists contain only the names of a few prominent railroad men and financiers, says The Financial World, but are conspicuous for the names of unknown men in whose names stand millions of dollars' worth of stocks of important railroads. Many, whose names are entirely unknown to the public, figure among the largest shareholders, and there is no doubt that the rulers of our railroads prefer to hold large blocks in the names of their clerks and secretaries. Why is this? Why do they find it desirable to conceal their identity and to hide behind their employees? Such action is certainly not to the credit of our big men of finance. It must necessarily create only suspicion and distrust, as it is a publicity conspicuous for what it does not make public. Do the big men keep the stocks in the names of obscure clerks in order not to let the market know from which sources come large blocks when they begin liquidating? Whatever may be the motive of this secrecy and desire to conceal, it is not creditable to the big men. It does not make them appear well in the public eye, but leads to the suspicion that they are inclined to hoodwink and mislead the public.

A Nashville newspaper is accusing a certain Tennessee statesman with being intoxicated with his own voice. If the present prohibition wave continues it will not be long before that is all that is left for our statesmen to be intoxicated with.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that Sol Warren, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 196, dated the 6th day of August, A. D. 1908, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to be issued in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit: S 1/4 of Lot 2 Sec. 22, T. 9, S. R. 18.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 6th day of February, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this 5th day of January, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court, Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

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GAINESVILLE, —THE— University City.

Gainesville is conceded to be the most enterprising as well as the most beautiful city in the interior of Florida. It is located in the very center of the State, half way between the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts, surrounded by lands of such fertility as to be capable of producing a great variety of crops; in the heart of the truck-growing, phosphate and naval stores belt. She has the best educational advantages in the State, good churches, with edifices which are superior to any town of its size in Florida, with large and consistent congregations; has a climate which cannot be excelled for health and pleasure. All these natural advantages, combined with a progressive and enterprising cosmopolitan citizenship, are sure to make a big city.

There are many natural attractions in close proximity to the city, some of which are Alachua Sink, Paine's Prairie, the Devil's Mill Hopper, Warren's Cave, and Lake Newnan, all of which are reached by private conveyance.

Spring Park Stock Farm, the largest and finest live stock farm in the State, is only eight miles west of the city and is reached by a good hard road, affording a most pleasant drive.

The farmers of Alachua county, of which Gainesville is the county seat, "live at home and board at the same place." The temperature is very uniform, scarcely ever reaching the nineties in summer or the twenties in winter. The population of Gainesville is about eight thousand, representing nearly every nationality on the face of the earth, and strangers always meet with a hearty welcome.

The University of Florida for young men and the National Agricultural Experiment Station are located within the corporate limits of the city. In fact, Gainesville has so many things that we must be pardoned if we omit a few of them in the following enumeration of what

Gainesville Has:

One artist.
No saloons.
One garage.
Four hotels.
Four banks.
Four dairies.
One foundry.
Water works.
Ten churches.
One gas plant.
Two tin shops.
Three bakeries.
Ten physicians.
Six fruit stores.
Two gunsmiths.
Six restaurants.
One seed store.
Board of Trade.
Six drug stores.
Four shoe shops.
State University.
Masonic Temple.
Twenty lawyers.
Two paint shops.
Four contractors.
One bicycle shop.
Baseball diamond.
Two ice factories.
Six music schools.
One variety store.
One public library.
Two wagon works.
Two planing mills.
Two racket stores.
Two lumber yards.
One marble works.
Three silversmiths.
Three wood yards.
Five dental rooms.
One express office.
Free mail delivery.
Four beef markets.
Eight barber shops.
Two public schools.
Two music houses.
A telephone system.
Two haberdasheries.
Two abstract offices.
Four pressing clubs.
Two machine shops.
Two bottling works.
Six boarding houses.
One Catholic church.
A military company.
Three jewelry stores.
One phosphate office.
One Chinese laundry.
One Christian church.
Two steam laundries.
Two Advent churches.
One daily newspaper.
Two hardware stores.
One female physician.
Fifteen grocery stores.
Five Baptist churches.
Three furniture stores.
One cold storage plant.
One weekly newspaper.
Seven dry goods stores.
Three cold drink stands.
One electric light plant.
Three blacksmith shops.
Three railways systems.
Eight benevolent orders.
Two Episcopal churches.
United States land office.
One chemical laboratory.
Thirteen Sunday schools.
Two veterinary surgeons.
One Presbyterian church.
Two cigar manufactories.
Four real estate agencies.
Volunteer fire department.
Several lumber companies.
Three Methodist churches.
A brass band organization.
Two photograph galleries.
Two moving picture shows.
One semi-weekly newspaper.
Five life insurance agencies.

Two livery and feed stables.
Florida Winter Chautauqua.
One crate and basket factory.
One Elks' Club reading room.
Agricultural Experiment Station.
Florida Winter Bible Conference.
Five dressmaking establishments.
National Odd Fellows' Sanitarium.
Three undertaking establishments.
First-class sewerage system, \$175,000.
Two of the best hotels in the interior.

Two wholesale grain and feed stores.
Two wholesale grocery establishments.

Water "that has made Gainesville famous."

The finest opera house in the State outside of Jacksonville.

A Government building soon to be erected to cost when completed \$100,000.

Carpenters, masons, plasterers, painters, printers, machinists and laboring men galore.

More miles of paved streets and granolithic sidewalks than any other town in the interior of the State.

An \$85,000 court house built of brick and stone—a beautiful structure—and the lawns, flower beds, shrubbery, Confederate monument, etc., surrounding it, make it a most attractive picture.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

State Officers:

Governor—A. W. Gilchrist, Tallahassee.

Secretary of State—H. Clay Crawford, Tallahassee.

Comptroller—A. C. Croom, Tallahassee.

Treasurer—W. V. Knott, Tallahassee.

Attorney-General—Park M. Trammell, Tallahassee.

Commissioner of Agriculture—B. E. McLin, Tallahassee.

Supt. of Public Instruction—Wm. M. Holloway, Tallahassee.

President of the Senate—Hunt W. Harris, Key West.

County Officers:

Clerk and Auditor—S. H. Wienges, Gainesville.

Supt. Public Instruction—Dr. J. L. Kelley, Gainesville.

Sheriff—P. G. Ramsey, Gainesville.

County Judge—H. G. Mason, Gainesville.

Tax Assessor—W. W. Colson, Gainesville.

Tax Collector—W. D. Dickinson, Gainesville.

Treasurer—J. D. Matheson, Gainesville.

Supervisor Registration—J. C. McGrew, Gainesville.

County Commissioners—John G. Dampier, Chairman, Hague; J. F. Townsend, Campville; J. W. May, Archer; Chas. W. Summers, Trenton; O. P. Cannon, Gainesville.

Members School Board—R. B. Weeks, Chairman, Hawthorn; J. W. Moody, LaCrosse; G. W. Miller, Trenton.

State Senator—H. H. McCreary, Gainesville.

Members House—Syd L. Carter, Gainesville; T. A. Doke, Santa Fe.

City Officers:

Mayor—Horatio Davis.

Marshal—B. T. Arnow.

Tax Assessor—B. R. Colson.

Tax Collector—T. B. Ellis, Sr.

Clerk and Treasurer—J. Maxey Dell.

City Attorney—W. S. Broome.

Board of Aldermen—T. W. Shands, President; Geo. K. Broome, S. J. Burnett, E. E. Cannon, H. S. Graves, S. M. Mixson, A. L. Vidal.

Board of Public Works—H. E. Taylor, Chairman; W. W. Hampton, secretary; H. F. Dutton, E. J. Baird, J. H. Vidal.

Some article that is simply "in the way" at your house might, if advertised, be sold to someone who is anxiously looking for it.

Let a want ad. negotiate a trade for you—of something you don't need for something you do.

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FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS....

AGENTS FOR MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES and IRON FENCES.

See our samples.

Personal attention to all business this line. Mail and telephone orders promptly attended to.

THE BUSH & SAFFORD PIANO CONTEST

In Which a Resident of Alachua County Will be Awarded a Beautiful Howard Piano, and 18 Certificates Valued at \$3,150.00 Furnished by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., Sole Representatives of The R. S. Howard Co. of Miami, The Contest to be Conducted by THE SUN in Behalf of Bush & Safford. : : : : :

\$3,550.00

One \$400.00 HOWARD Piano will be given to the person residing in the County of Alachua who receives the highest number of votes between December 15th, 1908, and 10 p. m. April 15th, 1909 : : : : :

Additional Gifts

In addition to the Piano there will be issued by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., on a new \$400 Howard Piano, eighteen Transferable Due Bills, same to be used as a first or initial payment on a new Howard Piano. These due bills will be given in this voting contest as follows, to persons residing in Alachua County:

To the first six receiving the next to the highest vote, a due bill for each for \$200.00

To the second six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for \$175.00

To the next six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for \$150.00

These due bills may be used by the winners or can be disposed of to anyone for any value they may see fit, and will be worth their face value upon the purchase of one of these new pianos.

In the event of a tie for any prize offered, a prize similar in all respects thereto will be given each of those tying.

How and Where to Get Votes

The following merchants will give one vote for every cent paid into their establishments for goods which they handle:

The Gainesville Hardware Co.
Phifer Bros.
Hyde & Tench.

Where Votes May Be Cast

Ballot boxes will be found in the establishments of the merchants giving votes and at The Sun office. Votes sent by mail must be directed to the Voting Contest Department of The Sun, Gainesville, Florida.

Rules and Regulations

1. The contest is open to anyone living in Alachua county who is known by the conductors of the contest or vouched for by some reputable person, to them well known.

2. No employee, attaché or relative of the proprietors of the above-named firms are eligible to participate in this contest, and will participate in no manner.

3. In the event of a misunderstanding between candidates or others interested in this contest, such controversy may be referred to the conductors of contest, who alone are the persons qualified to render decisions.

4. In the event a candidate decides to withdraw from the race, such candidate will not be allowed to transfer votes to the credit of another candidate in the contest.

THE DAILY SUN

	Old Subscribers	New Subscribers
\$1.25—Three months' subscription	400 votes	500 votes
\$2.50—Six months' subscription	1,000 votes	1,200 votes
\$5.00—One year's subscription	3,000 votes	3,500 votes
For a club of five one-year subscriptions (before April 1, 1909)	25,000 votes	30,000 votes
For a club of ten six-months' subscriptions (before April 1)	25,000 votes	30,000 votes

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

\$1.00—One year's subscription	400 votes
For a club of five one-year subscriptions	4,000 votes

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

Soliciting votes by candidates or friends within the stores

Grapes give
the chief ingredient,
the active principle,
and healthfulness, to



ROYAL
BAKING
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Absolutely Pure

Insures wholesome and delicious food for every day in every home

No Phosphates
No Alum

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

WITERS OF GENERAL INTEREST
SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

Get a meal ticket at Rutherford's Restaurant.

Get it if you can. What? The Electric Theatre.

J. G. White of Newberry was a visitor to the city yesterday.

G. W. Wells of Alachua was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Howard Crouch left yesterday for a visit to Jacksonville.

Delux Key oysters, day and night, at Rutherford's Restaurant.

G. T. Carroll of Clyatt's station was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Better than usual this week are the pictures at the Electric Theatre.

G. B. Weeks of Waldo was greeting friends in the city yesterday.

G. J. Thomas, a planter of LaCrosse, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Dr. Geo. S. Waldo, the dentist, left yesterday for a business trip to Jacksonville. He will return Thursday.



THE MORNING CUP OF PLEASURE

It will be the cup of coffee that is made from our exquisitely flavored Mocha Java that has an aroma that puts new life and appetite into those who arise with "that tired feeling." We pride ourselves on our high-grade coffee and teas, and as we are expert judges we pick the best from the markets of the world.

SAUNDERS & EARLE.

J. R. Boring of Waldo was here on business matters Tuesday.

C. L. Thigpin of Waldo was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Special attention paid to ladies' trade at Rutherford's Restaurant.

No show to compare with the moving pictures at the Electric Theatre.

G. W. Miller of Trenton was among the West Enders in the city Tuesday.

Miss Dona Ford of Melrose is in the city visiting the family of J. A. Malphurs.

Capt. H. C. Parker of LaCrosse was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Moral and educational are the moving pictures shown at the Electric Theatre.

Geo. I. Doig was a visitor to Starke yesterday, having been called there on business.

J. R. Willis, an attorney of Bronson, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Glass left yesterday for a short visit to the State metropolis.

F. B. Godfrey, cashier of the Bank of Alachua, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Miss Lydia Holder of Santa Fe is among the visitors to the city, the guest of Mrs. J. L. Kelley.

H. W. Waits, of the Tampa & Jacksonville railway offices, has gone to Jacksonville on a business trip.

W. T. Zetrouer left last night for Archer, where he will be employed for some time on a brick contract.

Plank's Chill Tonic is guaranteed to cure chills, fever, colds and grippe. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Pure apple cider delivered to any part of the city for one dollar per gallon. N. Francisco. Phone 223.

C. C. Strickland of Hague and D. F. Connerly of LaCrosse were two representative citizens visiting the county capital on Monday.

Mrs. A. T. Kelley of Prairie Creek passed through the city yesterday en route to Hague, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Boardman, for a short while.

F. S. Curl of Archer was in the city yesterday. He states that Archer is now putting on style, as many improvements are being made around the city.

There is nothing more refreshing than a glass of pure apple cider. I sell it for 5 cents a glass or one dollar per gallon. N. Francisco. Phone 223.

Freight Agent J. H. Tench, of the A. C. L., has returned from a short business visit to Jacksonville.

Show your appreciation of home enterprise by patronizing the Electric Theatre. It's only ten cents.

Japonicas, Palms, Ferns and Shrubbery; Pecan and Fruit Trees in variety. H. S. Graves, 'phone 179.

A. D. McEachin, J. K. Bolin and A. G. Fletcher of Meredith station were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Prof. G. M. Lynch left yesterday for Melrose, where he goes to pay an official visit to the high school at that place.

Mac Summerlin left yesterday for his old home at Adel, Ga., where he will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Powell of Archer was among the visitors to the city Monday. While here she was the guest of friends.

Excursion to Cuba January 30th. Round trip Tampa to Havana, \$30.50. Call on or write Andrews Trading Co., Gainesville.

If your suit doesn't fit I can make it fit; if it is dirty, torn, or ripped, I can clean and repair it. Chas. Ellis, 223 W. Main street.

T. K. Hall of Leesburg, who has been in the city for the past few days visiting the family of Dr. J. T. Hall, returned to his home yesterday.

Mrs. C. H. Breedlove, who has been visiting in the city for some time as a guest of Mrs. J. E. Waugh, returned to her home at Ocala yesterday.

Miss Madge Olmstead of Alachua, who has been in the city for the past week as the guest of Mrs. G. B. Tison, returned to her home yesterday.

Saunders & Earle in a new ad. in this issue suggest a trial of their specially selected coffees and teas. They guarantee entire satisfaction.

Mrs. S. B. Phifer of High Springs, who has been visiting in the city for the past few days as the guest of Mrs. M. B. Saunders, returned to her home yesterday.

A. J. DaCosta left yesterday for Newberry, where he goes to inspect some lands for parties interested in a phosphate deal that is now on for that hustling town.

J. A. Williams of Cedar Key is among the visitors to Gainesville. He is attorney in several cases which will be heard before Judge H. G. Mason the present week.

P. E. Pournell of Fort White, a former resident of this city, is among the visitors here. He will be kindly remembered and gladly welcomed by all his old-time friends.

Roland and Wade Thomas and Frank McDavid were among the visitors to the city yesterday. They were from the Montecito section and report rain badly needed by the farmers there.

Suits altered accurately and promptly by a tailor who understands his business. Also fine cleaning and repairing done on short notice. All work guaranteed. Chas. Ellis, 223 W. Main street.

We receive two shipments a week and are sole agents for Oswald Jaeger's famous Milwaukee rye bread. Small loaf, 15 cents; large, 25 cents. Try one, it's delicious and healthful. Brown House.

Chickering, Knabe, Mathushek, Fischer, Ivers & Pond and other leading makes of pianos sold by me for cash or on installment plan. See me before buying. W. L. Hill, Opera House Building.

F. M. Hester of Williston was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. He is mayor of that flourishing town and reports that the "boys" have been exceedingly good since he assumed the reins of government.

Mrs. Dr. J. M. Dell is now at the home of Dr. J. F. McKinstry, Jr., where she was successfully operated on yesterday for appendicitis. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is doing nicely.

Capt. C. A. Neal of Newberry, one of the leading business men and citizens of Newberry, was transacting business in the city yesterday. He says the place is lively and business is good with all merchants.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers should keep a bottle in the house.

T. W. Shands, President
Wm. R. Steckert, Vice-President
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Your Business Solicited, Whether Large or Small

SECOND DAY OF CONFERENCE.

Large Congregations Present at Meetings of Workers.

The second day's work of the Florida Winter Bible Conference, which is now being held at the Tabernacle in this city, was attended by large crowds from the city, as well as a number of visitors.

The Bible study which is engaged in every morning at 10 o'clock is proving most interesting, and large numbers can be seen with their Bibles attending these meetings for the good that will be accomplished. The Young People's work is attracting considerable attention and much good will be accomplished from this special course.

Work along the same lines will be followed up today, and as many of the citizens as possible are urged to be present and assist in the meetings.

Will Play in Micanopy.

Theo Hudgins returned yesterday from Micanopy, where he went for the purpose of making final arrangements to place "Charley's Aunt" on there for a benefit performance. The company will be accompanied by the Gainesville orchestra, who go down to furnish music for a big ball as well as the show.

Street Sprinkler at Work.

The appearance of the street sprinkler yesterday was a source of much pleasure to the large army of people who are compelled to be on the streets and remain around the square during the day. Keep the good work up.

S. T. Skipper of Archer was a visitor to Gainesville Monday and while here took advantage of his visit and had his name enrolled upon the subscription list of The Sun.

D. F. Graham and wife of Piedmont, W. Va., arrived in the city yesterday and will spend some time here as the guests of his brother's family, Capt. James M. Graham. They were accompanied by their little son, Paul.

You would not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder trouble if you realized that neglect might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all kidney and bladder disorders. J. W. McCollum & Co.

Dr. A. E. Cline, veterinary surgeon, has opened offices at Crawford & Davis' stables and solicits a share of the public business. He is a graduate of the Kansas Veterinary College and is here to practice his profession. Calls answered day or night. Horse dentistry, cattle and dogs all receive prompt attention.

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Each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Six words make a line; no fractional lines, every word over each six counting as an additional line. CASH in advance must accompany all orders for insertions in this column.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage. Apply 200 E. Liberty street.

WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six-room cottage near square. Apply this office.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Typewriter ribbons, both copy and record, 75 cents each. Sun office.

FOR SALE—Good gentle horse and nice rubber-tired buggy. Apply P. O. Box No. 276.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good milch cow with calf. A bargain if taken at once. Enquire this office.

FOR SALE—House and lot corner East Main and Boundary streets. Apply at Daily Sun office.

FOR SALE—Two cottages in South Gainesville; terms easy at reasonable interest if unable to pay all cash. Apply at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Corner lot 100x125 feet on West Main St. north and Boundary St., next to Jeff Kendrick. Will sell at a bargain and on easy terms. Apply at Sun office.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; few weeks required; best paying work within the reach of poor man; can have shop with small capital; wages from \$12 to \$20 weekly; wonderful demand for barbers. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Atlanta, Ga.

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GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

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